

# RACING AT TATTERSALLS

Tattersalls Club hosted a Racing Luncheon on 1st September with over 250 people in attendance raising money for The Matthew Talbot Hostel. A panel of racing identities that included Darren Beadman, Ray Murrihy, Kathy O'Hara, Danny Beasley, Kevin Moses and Joseph Pride were on hand to answer an array of questions from our host Tim Webster and members of the audience. Other notable faces in the crowd included Mollie McSweeney, wife of the late former Chairman Tony McSweeney and daughter Angela Belle, The Minister for Gaming and Racing Hon. Grant McBride, Brother Dan Stafford from



Straight faced Kevin Moses (centre) gets a laugh out of our Host Tim Webster (left) and Champion Jockey Darren Beadman (right)

The Matthew Talbot Hostel, TAB Sportsbet's Glen Munsie, Vice Chairman of the AJC Noel Bracks, Chairman of the STC Alan Brown, representatives from the NSW Racehorse Owners Association and Racing NSW, arguably Australia's biggest punter Michael Sullivan and several other racing identities



Back L-R, Rick Glover, Alan Brown, Brother Dan, Joseph Pride, Honourable Grant McBride, Ray Murrihy. Front L-R, Kathy O'Hara, Darren Beadman, Kevin Moses, Danny Beasley

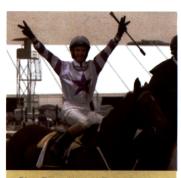
including rails bookmakers, trainers and leading bloodstock agents.

The day was also seen as the unofficial launch of Spring Racing in NSW to coincide with our very own race meeting that was held on 9th September at Royal Randwick. Our luncheon was also well supported by several sponsors who provided an excellent arrangement of prizes that contributed to raising \$20,150 for The Matthew Talbot Hostel.

The Tattersalls Club Chelmsford Stakes Day at Royal Randwick was held on the 9th September. Due to the inclement weather, the races were transferred to the Kensington Inner Track for safety reasons. The weather tried its hardest to scare off the punters, but a healthy crowd of over 8000 people were treated to a great day of racing. Seventy members and their guests were also treated to some great hospitality in the Galaxy Room which probably turned out to be the best place to be

with great food, wine, racecourse view and more importantly out of the rain. They were also treated to some free betting vouchers supplied by bookmakers Henry Noonan, Eric Conlon, Shane Filipak and Warren Woodcock. A special thank you goes out to all who contributed to a fantastic day.

The Tattersalls Plate run over 2400m was the 2nd race on the card, and



Glen Boss aboard Eremein celebrating victory in The Chelmsford Stakes

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#### Racing at Tattersalls



Newton's Rings (left) and Eremein (right) fight out the finish in The Chelmsford Stakes

the well fancied Attainable ridden by Glen Boss greeted the judge in 1st place. Owner of Attainable and Tattersalls Racing Committeeman Max Whitby was presented the winners trophy by Tattersalls Committeeman and Racing Convenor Cameron Horne.



Winning owners of Eremein, Beryl and Geoff White being presented the trophy by Rick Glover

Ryan Wiggins riding out Replicator to the barriers for The Chelmsford Stakes

Another Tattersalls member John Ingham was lucky enough to have a winner on the day when Mearas won the Listed Ming Dynasty Quality. Other notable winners on the day included Primus in the Group 3 Tramway Stakes and Just Dancing winning the Group 2 Furious Stakes.



Cameron Horne and fellow Committee man Graeme Heckenberg with winning connections of Just Dancing who was victorious in The Furious Stakes

The feature race of the day The Group 2 Chelmsford Stakes run over 1550m saw Tattersalls well represented with Replicator carrying the clubs colours. Fast out of the barriers, Replicator led the field into the home straight, but with the weight of all Tattersalls members on his back, he was no match for Newton's Rings and Eremein who were left to fight it out in a close finish. Glen Boss notched up winner number four of the day when Eremein was declared the winner of the photo finish. When interviewed after the race, Glen Boss announced that Eremein is the best Weight for Age horse in Australia.



Cameron Horne Tattersalls Committee man and Racing Convenor, Ryan Wiggins in Club colours and Chairman Rick Glover before the start of the Chelmsford Stakes

Tattersalls Club would like to thank the following sponsors for their contribution to the racing luncheon.

All racing photos were taken and donated by Grant Guy the Sports Guy.





















Rick Glover

#### FUTURE DIRECTIONS

Over recent months the Committee has primarily been involved in putting together a viable Future Directions Strategy (FDS) in keeping with the goals and objectives outlined at the AGM in May.

The selected FDS is now before Pannell Kerr Forster (PKF) for analysis and assessment in line with our undertakings to the NAB. PKF have independently interviewed members of the Committee and a selection of Club members in the course of their investigation and the first part of their report is due imminently.

Also as part of this process, a marketing consultant, Brandswell, has been retained with a specific brief to report to the Committee on membership issues and this report will be an integral component of the PKF assessment. Again the consultant will be interviewing members in the course of the marketing exercise.

Finally, the Club has recently retained a gaming expert, Visionaids, to investigate what opportunities in this field might be available to the Club as part of a longer term strategy. In this regard I should add it is not intended that gaming machines be put into the Club but it would clearly be remiss of the Committee not to investigate the revenue potential which might be available from this source.

I mentioned at the AGM that some hard decisions would need to be taken to put the Club back on a sound financial footing and the Committee will not shirk that responsibility.

I propose to hold a further Members' Information Night within the near future as soon as the Committee and Management have received and considered the reports to which I have referred

Rick Glover



Join the chairman on the last Thursday of each month following the committee meeting for free drinks in the members' bar. The Club has certainly been busy over the last couple of months. During August we held a memorable Members' Rugby Lunch featuring Ewen McKenzie & Laurie Fisher as guest speakers. This proved to be an exciting day and was well received by all Members and their guests. We are presently planning a season opening function featuring the entire Waratah squad.

The Racing Lunch held on 1st
September also proved to be a huge
success. Many Members
commented to me on how proud
they were that the Club was
expanding its involvement in Racing.
The day raised \$20,150 for the
Matthew Talbot Hostel.

Another area that has been keeping me busy is the Future Direction Strategy (FDS) process, the Chairman Rick Glover explains the process in greater detail in his report.

We have some exciting Members events leading up to the end of the year and I hope that all Members will avail themselves of the opportunity to attend these functions or if not at least visit the Brasserie for a magnificent meal.

I look forward to seeing you round the Club over the next few months.

Mark Bartrop



Mark Bartrop Tattersalls Secretary

# GONE FISHING Tattersalls anglers have been missing in the wilderness over the

pass few seasons, but now with the help of Committeeman Graeme
Heckenburg the fish are shaking in there boots. Graeme is asking all members who are keen anglers to express their interest and hopefully we can organise a few expeditions. Please notify the office if you would be interested in casting a rod or two and start practising those stories about the one that got away.

Phone Mark Mitchell 9263 9201 or email markmitchell@tattersallsclub.org

## Putting On the Pink Lunch



Friday October 27 from 12 noon Tattersalls, Elizabeth Street, Sydney

Tickets are \$85 each Tables of ten \$800 Corporate tables of ten \$1500

Join the Royal Prince Alfred Hospital's Sydney Breast Cancer Foundation and their Patron, Her Excellency the Governor of NSW, Professor Marie Bashir AC CVO in Australian Breast Cancer Month for this fantastic ladies lunch. Guests will enjoy champagne on arrival and a two-course lunch while being entertained by our special celebrity speaker and MC, acclaimed Australian comedian, Judith Lucy. All guests will receive a beautiful gift bag and have the opportunity to win fabulous auction, raffle and lucky door prizes.

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#### SNOOKER REPORT

There have been two Challenge Snooker Nights held in July and August since the last report. The first being won by John Joyce, a quiet achiever in the Club. For those who had an early exit from the tournament a poker game was organised. Will Ryan, despite being a little over-tired (as a newt) could not lose and such was his success that he drove Alex McCready to vowing to give up poker, Smart Alex. The August 17 Tournament convinced Alex of the wisdom in his decision in that he was successful in the final beating Michael Fitzgerald. Brian (Sherlock) Holmes, in his match, sank the black to win only to detect victory snatched away by the jaws of defeat when two seconds later the white rolled in. Cameron Horne who had elected to remain in Yarra Trail rather than join the Club Chairman on the Kokoda Trail has finally worked out how to do the draw for a knockout tournament The writer wishes, however, that he would lose the first step, which appears to ensure that he never gets a bye in the first round. John Stewart just returned from a week's skiing, attended the tournament creating a cloud of suspicion that he may be pregnant prompted by his muttering 'My foetus killing me'.

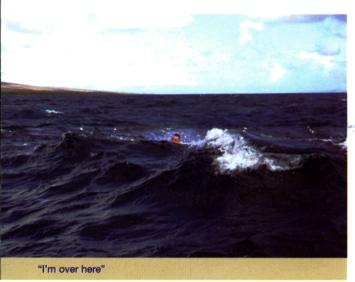


Like father like son. Eddie and Robbie Crane after Eddie's gallant effort to be September's Champion

Such was the interest in the snooker that poker was abandoned for the night with a considerable crowd gathering to watch the final which Alex, who is built like a snooker rest, but plays like a champion won on the pink.

Chalky

# ANDREW DAVIS CONQUERS THE MAUI CHANNEL SOLO



In appalling conditions (30 knot winds and 2-3 metre swells right from the start at 8:00am), Andrew attacked the 10 mile channel swim in a determined and methodical manner. Assisted by Cesar's boat captain Timmy Tamsing (the Tiger

Shark man), Andrew carved his way

north west across the channel whilst being buffeted by constant 30-35 knot winds from the west north west, combined with a swell coming from the same direction of 2 to 3 metres, and to top it all off, currents running against him for most of the race.

The conditions were described by the overall team's race winner (our mate Bob Placak) as being the toughest conditions he had encountered in the race for 20 years; Andrew crossed the line in 6 hours 47 minutes. There were a number of teams and solo swimmers who withdrew from the race, and the last finisher came in around 8.5 hours.

All in all a massive effort from a very determined man who had an interrupted training schedule running up to the race due to surgery to nerves in his foot. A truly inspirational swim.



Andrew Davis on land again

#### FINA MASTERS WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS, STANFORD UNIVERSITY U.S.A AUGUST 2006

With some trepidation, six Tattersalls members recently made the trip to Stanford University just outside San Francisco for the World Masters Swimming Championships. 7,500 competitors assembled for the seven day meet held in a complex consisting of two 50 metre pools for competition and three 25 metre pools used for warm ups.

Places were determined by times and medals given down to 10th place. A summary of our swimmers results are as follows:

Alan Brown, the National Record holder in the 50m and 100m free in the 60-64 age group, swam 1.02.08 in the 100m free, breaking his own National Record and the existing World Meet Record set in 1992. However, he was beaten into 3rd place by the Word Record holder in the 50m and 100m and the World Record holder in the 200m. In the 50m free, he finished 8th in 28.01 but redeemed that two days later by leading off in the relay in 27.7.

Peter Gibson swam well in the 50m and 100m but was out of the medals.

John Harvey an Australian National Record Holder, although he broke the NSW State record for the 100m free, was a little off his best and in a very competitive age group, still managed to finish just outside the top 10 in the 50m, 100m and 200m freestyle. Our guess is that John was either over trained (blame Peter Thiel) or he hadn't gotten quite used to travelling with his mother-in-law-

Peter Joseph had a terrific meet, finishing equal 4th in the 100m, 5th in the 50m and 6th in the 200m breast stroke

Phil Madden missed his favourite event due to a mix up but was off the pace in his other individual events.

Alf Moufarrige swam very well, finishing 9th in the 50m free and 10th in the 100m.

Tattersalls claimed two top ten finishes with our only relay entries. In the 4 x 50m freestyle relay, Alan Brown, Peter Gibson, Phil Madden and Alf Moufarrige broke the Australian National Record and the previous World Meet Record in the 240-279 age category finishing 5th

of 32 entries behind some very hot US teams.

The Tattersalls medley relay team of Alan Brown, Peter Joseph, Phil Madden and Alf Moufarrige finished 10th of 24 teams. The first two home broke the World Record.

Overall, a very creditable performance by the Tatts team which came home with 15 medals and two National records, two World Masters Meet records and 3 NSW State records.

The trip finished with a fabulous celebratory dinner at the world renowned French Laundry Restaurant in the Napa Valley.



L to R back row is John Harvey, Alf Moufarrige and Alan Brown, front row L to R, Peter Joseph and Peter Gibson.



L to R Alf Moufarrige, Alan Brown, Phil Madden, Peter Joseph and Peter Gibson

#### ON THE 1ST NIGHT

On 1st Wednesday of each month, Executive Chef Simon Flanders will break from the norm and provide an alternative to the normal brasserie menu with range of themed menus.

Bookings can be made by calling the club 9264 6111

November 1st – Fungi and Truffles December 6th – Shellfish and Sparkling

#### UPDATE YOUR DETAILS

Can all Club members please inform the office of any changes to your personal details. This may include your credit card details, phone numbers, email and postal address or the company you work for. You may be entitled to a corporate discount.

Please phone the office with any changes 9264 6111 or email administration@tattersallsclub.org



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- Let Chef do the cooking by pre ordering your Xmas lunch. On this years menu – Premium Tasmanian Smoked Salmon (approx weight 1kg), Whole Stuffed Roast Turkey (approx weight 10kg), Half Leg Hams (approx weight 4kg)
- Tattersalls Chocolate Wheel 14th December. Ham or Wine?

# THINGS TO DO BEFORE XMAS

 Tattersalls Christmas Hamper worth over \$2000 – Tickets are \$10 each or ten for \$50. On sale 1st December.

#### CIGARS ON SALE IN THE MEMBERS BAR

Cohiba Siglo 11	\$30.00
Fonseca KDT	\$10.00
Jose L Piedra Cazadores	\$9.00
Macanudo Petit Corona	\$11.00
Montecristo No.2	\$28.00
Montecristo No.4	\$16.00







#### RUGBY LUNCHEON



Brumbies Head Coach Laurie Fisher, Rick Glover and Waratahs Head Coach Ewen McKenzie

The Rugby Luncheon was held on 11th August and the 170 people who attended were treated to a great light hearted discussion on all things about rugby. Brumbies Head Coach Laurie Fisher made his way up from Canberra and he was joined by Waratahs Head Coach Ewen McKenzie. The luncheon was hosted by Tattersalls Committee man Andrew Coorey and using his expert knowledge of the game of Rugby, he asked the questions that brought a great response from our quests.

Our two guests were kind enough to donate their own time to the day with over \$3000 being raised for Sydney's Children's Hospital.

Another winner on the day was lan Hurrell, who was the winner of the raffle donated by the HSBC Waratahs. The prize consisted of 2 tickets to the Waratahs V Stormers next Super 14's match watching the game from the player's bench.

Keep an eye out for details about our next Rugby Luncheon featuring the entire Waratahs squad early next year.



Laurie Fisher (left) and Ewen McKenzie (right) talking Rugby with our Host and Committeeman Andrew Coorey (far right)



Does anyone know who is behind those goggles? L-R: Hugh Williamson, Carlos Calisto, Ian Brazenor, Mark Roufeil, Alex Williamson, Hugh McCormack, Mike McCormack, John Barrell and Russ Debney.

"Timing is everything"; so they say.

Never more true than for the Tatts

Ski Week. Good snow and fine
weather saw the lads get the best of
the conditions in an ordinary ski
season in Australia. Fifteen blokes
skied together for a week. Staying

on the snow at Perisher, they skied every day and enjoyed the Après snow life afterwards. The boys donated \$500 to volunteer ski patrol to assist them in their good work. All members and their guests are welcome to join the skiers each year.

# Melbourne tattersalls Cup Luncheon

Tattersalls traditional Melbourne Cup luncheon will be held on Tuesday 7 November 2006.

A generous selection of gourmet food will be available including a seafood buffet with fresh oysters shucked on site and a delicious roast meat carvery. Yellowglen Vintage Pinot Noir Chardonnay will be the bubbly of the day, with Yellowglen supplying prizes for the best-dressed, best hat and a special prize for the bubbliest girl.

Our two big screens will show an uninterrupted telecast of racing from Flemington throughout the day. Betting facilities will be available for the keen punter, and the famous Tattersalls sweeps will once again be in operation.

Tickets are \$130.

Bookings: Contact the administration office 9264 6111

Email: administration@tattersallsclub.org

# Golf

#### TWO DATES FOR THE DIARY FOR ALL THE GOLFERS IN THE CLUB

 27th October at Oatlands starting around 12.30.

This is a Category One course and the green fees are only \$55.

Unfortunately you must have a recognised handicap to enter but visitors are welcome.

Golf-Annual Tattersalls Trophy.
 NSW Golf Club, La Perouse.
 Friday 8 December 9.10 am.
 Cost \$120 plus \$5 for prize pool.

Max field, 40 players.

Priority to Tatts members, after which guests are welcome.

First up best dressed.

Entries to: jock@jsmurray.com.au

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#### Upcoming Events

20th Oct Black Tie Boxing

26th Oct Snooker Challenge Night

27th Oct Golf at Oatlands

29th Oct Boardriders Surf at Wanda

lst Nov Brasserie Theme Night – Fungi and Truffles

7th Nov Melbourne Cup Luncheon

10th Nov Cricket Luncheon

16th Nov Snooker Challenge Night

17th Nov Boardriders Weekend at Gerringong

26th Nov Club Championship Heats

28th Nov Swim Club Championship Finals

5th Dec Christmas Scramble

6th Dec Theme Night – Shellfish and Sparkling

7th Dec Challenge Night

8th Dec Tattersalls Golf Championships at NSW

14th Dec Chocolate Wheel

15th Dec Club Christmas Lunch and 400m Championships









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